MR. P. K. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Ambalapuzha*): From the answer to the question, am I to understand that there was only one address presented to the Dewan during his tour in Kuttanad.

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): There may have been more.

MR. P. K. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Ambalapuzha*): Was this particular grievance brought to the notice of the Dewan only in one address?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): May be.

MR. P. K. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Ambalapuzha*): What I want to know is whether there was not a universal complaint and almost all the addresses presented to the Dewan did not make mention of those grievances.

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): Yes.

MR. P. K. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Ambalapuzha*): May I know further whether any step has been taken in this direction?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): The matter is under consideration and the Government are proposing to refer the matter to the Chief Engineer.

MR. P. K. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Ambalapuzha*): Am I to understand that the Government have taken up the question?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): Yes.

Disbanded Computor-Draftsmen of the Land Records Office.

221. MR. KURANDIPALLIL R. RAMAN PILLAI (*Quilon*): Will the Government be pelased to state:

(*a*) whether the disbanded Computor-Draftsmen of the Land Records Department were provided for in the Survey Department;

(*b*) whether some Computor-Draftsmen are going to be newly entertained in the Survey Office for Land Records work; and

(*c*) if so, whether these disbanded Computor-Draftsmen will be given preference in filling up those new appointments?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): (*a*) Some of the disbanded Computor-Draftsmen were provided for in some of the vacancies that occurred.

(*b*) Yes; provision has been included in the preliminary budget estimate for 1103 M. E.

(*c*) The claims of the disbanded Computor-Draftsmen will be considered.

Bridge at Nandukulam on the Minadam-Pampadi Road.

222. MR. K. K. THOMAS (*Kottayam*): (1) Are the Government aware:

(*a*) of the neglected condition of the Minadam-Pampadi road at the western section; and

(*b*) of the difficulties that the people are put to, for want of a small bridge at the place called Nandukulam?

(2) Will they be pleased to order the Public Works Department to have the bridge completed as early as possible?

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